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EXAMINING GROUP 1642

PATENT

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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: VOLLENBROICH et al. Conf.: 9955
Appl. No.: 09/242,343 Group: 1642
Filed: April 12, 1999 Examiner: B. Brumbach
For: NEW ANTIVIRAL LIPOPEPTIDES, AND A METHOD
OF INACTIVATING LIPID-ENVELOPED VIRUSES
USING LIPOPEPTIDES

RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

November 8, 2002

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action issued January 4, 2002, and the Advisory Action of July 5, 2002, the due date having been reset with the filing of the Notice of Appeal on July 5, 2002, and extended for three (3) months to December 5, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 19 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter thereof.

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